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DAILY WEATHER REPORT

Rain tonight. Tuesday cloudy and windy with rain probably mixed with snow.

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GERMANS GIRDING FOR ANTICIPATED BLOWS BY ALLIES

Expect Smashing Allied Blow From Across Roer River

DEFENSES EXPANDED

1st Army Troops Hammer Lightning Thrusts Toward Duren

PARIS, Dec. 11—(INS)—German troops along the vital Roer River girded themselves today in anticipation of a smashing Allied blow across the stream while troops of the American First Army threatened the enemy-held communications centers along its banks at Duren and Juelich.

While American Third Army troops, to the south, hurried another bridge-head over the oft-crossed Saar River, front-line dispatches indicated that the Nazis are rapidly expanding their defense positions along the Roer on the American Ninth Army sector.

Activity was relatively sparse on Continued on Page Four

Newspaper Publishers Elect New President

H. Chester Morris, of the Public Spirit, Harbors, was elected president of the Montgomery-Bucks Newspaper Association at a meeting held in the Adelphi Hotel, Saturday afternoon.

In addition to Morris the following were also elected as officers of the association: William J. Ellis, Drexel Hill; Charles M. Meredith, Quakertown; Foster C. Hillegass, Pennsburg; vice presidents: Walter L. Sanborn, Lansdale, secretary and treasurer, Harry Kimmelman, Media, was appointed chairman of the program committee.

The association meets monthly and is devoted to the interests of newspaper publishers of Bucks, Montgomery, Delaware and Chester counties.

Harry B. Heywood, Conshohocken, retired as president after serving 28 years.

THE HEADLEY FUNERAL

Funeral of Mrs. Harry H. Headley, who died here on Saturday, will be held from her late home, 115 Jefferson avenue, on Wednesday at 1:30 o'clock. Service will be conducted in St. James' Episcopal Church at two o'clock. Interment will be in Bristol Cemetery, with Robert C. Riehl, funeral director, in charge. The Bristol W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of the late Mrs. Headley, for a memorial service on Tuesday evening at seven o'clock.

CHRISTMAS DINNER

The 14th anniversary of the Junior Travel Club will be observed at a catered Christmas dinner in the club home, Cedar street, on Wednesday at 6:30 p. m. Group singing of carols, vocal solos, and readings, will be on the program. Sixty guests have made reservations.

FIREMAN LOSES HAT

One of the Bristol firemen in responding to the call from Burlington for help last night, lost his fireman's hat. The finder is asked to return the same to the Bristol Consolidated Fire Station.

IMPROVING

Assistant Bucks County Detective William L. Stackhouse, Doylestown, who has been a patient in Abington Hospital, expects to return home in a few days.

LOCAL WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

FOR 24 HOUR PERIOD ENDING 8 A. M. AT ROHM & HAAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY BRISTOL, PA.

Temperature Readings	
Maximum	59 F
Minimum	26 F
Range	33 F
Hourly Temperatures	
8 a. m., yesterday	28
9	26
10	32
11	31
12 noon	28
1 p. m.	39
2	39
3	38
4	38
5	36
6	35
7	35
8	34
9	34
10	32
11	32
12 midnight	31
1 a. m. today	32
2	31
3	30
4	28
5	28
6	28
7	27
8	26
P. C. Relative Humidity	
9	98
Precipitation (inches)	
0	
TIDES AT BRISTOL	
High water	12:37 a. m.; 1:06 p. m.
Low water	7:41 a. m.; 8:11 p. m.

UP-TO-PRESS-TIME WAR BULLETINS

(By International News Service)

BRITISH 36TH INFANTRY DRIVES THROUGH NORTHERN BURMA

New Delhi—The British 36th Infantry Division drove through northern Burma today on the heels of the retreating Japanese to engulf the Naba junction and take possession of Indaw without opposition, making a total British gain in northern Burma of 100 miles since they pushed off from Mogaung last August.

BUDAPEST ROARS WITH SOUND OF BATTLE

Moscow—Budapest roared with the sound of battle today as Soviet forces closed in from three sides for an all-out attack on the Hungarian capital. One column of the Soviet Third Ukrainian Army closed in on the city within seven miles from the north while to the east the Red Army columns were only five miles away. From the south a third column had fought its way to within ten miles of the city.

HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY TOWNS

Activities of Interest To All In The Various Communities

GLEANEY BY SCRIBES

Pvt. Raymond C. Sheetz, of Erwinna, who was previously reported missing in action in France since Oct. 4, is safe and back in his company.

Pvt. Sheetz entered the Army in March, 1943, and was assigned to an infantry unit. He was stationed at Fort Jackson, S. C., in Tennessee for maneuvers, and at Camp Atterbury, Ind. He was sent to Fort Meade, Md., before going overseas in May. Pvt. Sheetz was in England on D-Day, and since then has been in action in France. His mother received a letter, saying he had joined the Rangers, with whom he is now serving.

In a letter written to his brother, Continued on Page Four

Pvt. Dorothy P. Quinn Is Taking Basic Training

FORT OGLETHERIE, Ga., Dec. 11—Pvt. Dorothy P. Quinn of Bristol, Pa., is taking basic training at the Third WAC Training Center here as a member of the "Keystone" Company. This unit, formed in honor of the famous 28th, or Keystone, Division, consists of Pennsylvania women who recently enlisted in the Women's Army Corps.

A former student at the Wilbur Watts High School in Burlington, N. J., Pvt. Quinn was employed as personnel consultant for women at the Rohm & Haas Company in Bristol prior to enlistment.

The new WAC is the daughter of Mrs. A. Matilda Potts, 184 Schumacher Drive, Bristol, and William S. Potts, Burlington, N. J.

SAUER KRAUT LUNCHEON

The Mothers Guild of St. James' Church will give a sauer kraut luncheon tomorrow in the parish house, Walnut and Wood street. The time set for the luncheon is 11:30 a. m. to one o'clock.

DON'T BE LATE!

The Courier reserves the right to reject copy for display advertising which is received later than two days previous to the day of publication. This rule is now effective and will be in force until after January 1st and may be extended.

All display advertising copy for insertion in The Bristol Courier must be at the Courier office not later than 12 o'clock noon, two days previous to day on which the advertising is to appear. We reserve the right to reject copy received after the designated time.

This rule is made necessary in order to give the mechanical department ample time in which to set the advertisement, and properly illustrate it. It is hoped that advertisers will cooperate and make reservations for space desired, and furnish their copy on time.

Copy will not be accepted after the expiration of the deadline announced above. COURIER MANAGEMENT.

To the People of this Community



How you handle your war wages and salaries will determine the time it will take to destroy Japan; how you handle your money will also decide whether you get victory out of the ruins of Tokyo and Berlin. Inflation can defeat any military triumph. What is inflation? It is simply runaway prices for the things you need to eat and wear and sundry other items which make up your way of living. Every War Bond is insurance against inflation because it removes from the market place dangerous dollars, dollars which in competition with the dollars of your neighbors would shoot skyward the price of a limited supply of civilian goods.

THE EDITOR.

BURGESS JACOB C. SCHMIDT AND CHIEF OF POLICE LINFORD J. JONES APPEAL TO PEOPLE TO PREVENT ALL ACCIDENTS HERE

For a happier Christmas—avoid accidents! The National Safety Council made that appeal today through Burgess Jacob C. Schmidt and Chief of Police Linford J. Jones in announcing a campaign to reduce the huge accident toll that annually mars the Christmas holiday season in the Bristol area.

"It is a simple fact," said Ned H. Dearborn, president of the Council, "that this is not going to be a Merry Christmas for a lot of people. There are few homes in America that have not felt the touch of war in one way or another."

"This cannot be helped. But we can help to prevent holiday accidents that also bring tragedy and each year make a mockery of Christmas in thousands of American homes."

"An accident that brings death or suffering into the home at Christmastime is a sure way to remove the last vestige of the holiday spirit. It is a sure way to ruin Christmas completely for that boy in uniform who is fighting to insure for his family the very security and happiness an accident destroys."

"The least we can do on the home front is to go to a little extra trouble to prevent these accidents that make things tougher for the boy on the battlefield."

"There is a lot of difference between the risks a fighting man must take and those we thoughtlessly invite. His risks may short in the war. Ours may prolong it."

The Council pointed out that deaths from accidents on the home front since Pearl Harbor still are running more than two to one over deaths to American fighting men on all battlefronts. The death totals on November 1 were 280,000 for accidents and 108,987 for war.

"No one means to imply, of course," said Mr. Dearborn, "that life on the home front is as dangerous as on the battlefield. But as long as accidents are making a second-place killer out of war, they are a challenge no serious-minded person can ignore."

The Council's records show that accidents killed 9,150 persons last December—the biggest toll for any month in 1943. Christmas holiday accidents contributed heavily to this toll.

One hundred and thirty other national organizations are cooperating with the Council this year in the Christmas safety campaign. Governors, mayors, police chiefs, motor vehicle administrators and other public officials and safety leaders are participating actively.

"But success of the campaign," said Mr. Dearborn, "rests in the final analysis with the private citizen—the G. I. Joe of the home front, who drives a car, works in a factory or office and otherwise lives the life of an average American."

"It is our conviction that once his fellow realizes that accidents waste power Uncle Sam needs for his knockout blow against the enemy, he will get in there and pitch to help prevent these accidents."

"If he does, we can cut in half the Christmas accident toll in half a minute. It is believed that sparks from a fireplace ignited the wall."

Members of the family discovered the blaze and called firemen, with members from Hulmeville, Newportville, Newport Terrace, Bristol Consolidated, and Goodwill Co., No. 3, of Bristol, answering with their apparatus. Water was pumped from booster tanks.

When firemen arrived smoke, was emanating from near the chimney in one of the bedrooms. Damage is estimated by firemen at approximately \$50.

A Real "Smoke-Hound"

(By "The Stroller")

As Hulmeville firemen commenced battling a blaze in Newportville early yesterday morning, they were surprised to see their newest member, who had joined the company only a week previous, busy with the lines.

"How did you get here?" one of the company officers queried, certain that the newest firefighter had not ridden on the engine. "Oh, I took a bus," was the calm reply.

Later, the entire story came out. Hearing the alarm at his home, just a stone's throw from the fire station, the new recruit hurriedly dressed, but he wasn't quick enough. The engine had pulled out by the time he reached his front door as his bride's suggestion that he comb his hair before leaving rang in his ears.

Not knowing where the fire was, but sensing the general direction as that of Newportville, he wondered if it might be bus time, and sure enough along came a bus. He boarded it and the bus accommodately took him to the fire's front door. Leaping off, he manned a line, and then triumphantly rode home on the engine.

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Mrs. Frank Streit, 56, Of Hulmeville, Dies

HULMEVILLE, Dec. 11—For a lengthy period of time, Mrs. Minnie Streit, wife of Frank Streit, died at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Anderson, Philadelphia, on Saturday. Mrs. Streit had been confined to bed for the past nine weeks. She was 56 years of age.

The Streits are proprietors of Hulmeville Park, where they made their home. Born in Newark, N. J., Mrs. Streit spent most of her life in Philadelphia, coming to Hulmeville 17 years ago.

In addition to her husband she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Richard Hardin, Knoxville, Tenn.; and a son, PFC Francis Streit, stationed at Drew Field, Tampa, Fla.; also by three sisters and a brother, Mrs. C. Bush, Mrs. Joseph Anderson, Miss Anna Prommer, and Edward Prommer, Philadelphia. A grandson, William Hardin, of Knoxville, Tenn., also survives.

Mrs. Streit's son arrived yesterday from Florida to attend the funeral, and her daughter has been visiting here.

The rites will be conducted on Wednesday morning at nine o'clock from the Anderson home, in Philadelphia, with Solemn High Mass in St. Bartholomew's R. C. Church, Wissinoming, at 10 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Dominick's Cemetery, Holmesburg.

The deceased was a member of the General MacArthur Chapter, American War Mothers, South Langhorne.

RETURNS TO DUTIES FOLLOWING WOUNDING

Pvt. Emil Stefek, 19, Highly Praised by Commanding Officer

HAS SILVER STAR

Pvt. Emil Stefek, Jr., 19, who suffered wounds of the legs in action in France on September 13th, has returned to duty, according to information sent his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Stefek, of 16 Fleetwing Drive, Fleetwings Estates.

Stefek, who is with the 7th Infantry, U. S. Army, in France, is the recipient of a Silver Star award. He informed his parents a few months ago that he had volunteered to open a mined road, and that more information would come from his commanding officer. Shortly thereafter Capt. John W. Blakie, of the 7th Infantry, wrote Mr. and Mrs. Stefek as follows: "Too rarely have I opportunity to praise men of my command. It is my wish that the families and friends of my men be acquainted with the commendable job they are doing. I take pleasure in writing you about Pvt. Emil Stefek."

"His personal courage and able performance of duty have won the admiration of the entire company. These excellent qualities and other attributes are highly gratifying to me. Such men make us all proud of our particular unit."

On Friday last the Stefeks received the Purple Heart medal which their son forwarded them.

The young man entered the army in November, 1943, and went overseas in April. He served in North Africa, Sicily, Italy and in France. His training was received at Fort McClellan, Ala.

Pvt. Stefek, who enjoys drawing cartoons occasionally sends such Continued on Page Four

Patricia Whittam Named Jr. Class Vice President

LANGHORNE, Dec. 11—A local young woman, Miss Patricia A. Whittam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Whittam, has been named vice-president of the junior class at Bucknell University, Lewisburg.

Miss Whittam, who is enrolled in the liberal arts course at Bucknell, is a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority and Alpha Lambda Delta, national honorary fraternity for freshmen women. She was selected as a freshman counselor in April of this year and was elected to represent the junior class in the Women's Student Government Association. Miss Whittam is a graduate of the Langhorne-Middletown High School.

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FIRE LOSS DURING LAST QUARTER IS LISTED AT \$45,867

Bucks Co. Firemen Presided Over by Lloyd Crouthamel At Chalfont

26 CO'S. REPRESENTED

Judge Boyer Speaks; Ladies' Auxiliary Has A Christmas Party

CHALFONT, Dec. 18—In the absence of William L. Stackhouse, Doylestown, president of Bucks County Firemen's Association, the quarterly meeting on Saturday evening was presided over by the vice-president, Lloyd Crouthamel, of Dublin. This was the first session of the association since Mr. Stackhouse in 28 years it was announced. Mr. Stackhouse is hospitalized at Abington.

The county firemen gathered in the school house, and members of the Ladies' Auxiliary in the local fire station, with the two groups meeting in the latter place later for refreshments.

Raymond E. Strunk, Quakertown, fire marshal of the county, reported 32 alarms during the past three months, with loss placed at \$45,867. Property at risk was valued at \$219,745, and insurance carried totaled \$101,350. The fires included Continued on Page Four

Bristol Boys Meet In Netherlands E. Indies

Pvt. Alexander Cornacchione, who is serving overseas, was thrilled recently to greet some of his home-town friends.

Writing his mother here he says in part:

"Guess who I found? Yes, our own neighbor, Anthony Deny, ... Bond street. And I also met Nick Palumbo from Jefferson avenue. And another fellow from Bath Street. His name is Joe Cahill. ... There is a paper here which is published by the infantry. ... I looked at the sport section and saw the boys who won the games in baseball. I saw a fellow named Joe Cahill from Bristol, Pa. What I said, 'A fellow from Bristol here?' So I found out he was in an infantry unit about two miles down the road. So I wrote to him and told him I'd see him ... today. ... Joe said 'I know another fellow here from Bristol and his name is Nick Palumbo. ... I caught up with the group and he (Palumbo) shook hands with me and said that I'm the first Bristol boy he saw since his four years in the army. ... After a while we ate chow when Nick said that he knew another Bristol fellow who was with him for the past four years. ... Anthony Deny, ... Boy, I surely was happy to see them all. ... When he first saw me he didn't recognize me. He finally shouted 'Alex!' Gee, I was so happy to see my neighbor who we knew so well ever since we were kids. ... Most of all we all asked how all our moms and dads are. Just imagine four Bristol fellows there in one area all happy because we met each other. ..."

"Don't forget to have a merry, merry Christmas and a joyous New Year and most of all just make believe we are there with you. We will be if not in body in spirit. ... Somewhere in the Netherlands East Indies we four Bristol boys are, and well and happy."

WHAT OUR BOYS ARE DOING TO WIN THE WAR

EDGEWOOD ARSENAL, Md., Dec. 11—Members of Chemical Warfare School's Toxic Gas Handlers' Class for non-commissioned officers of the Army and Navy will complete an exacting course of training today.

Some of the subjects included in the Toxic Gas Handlers' Course are offensive and defensive tactics of gas warfare; the prevention and the treatment of gas casualties; the use of protective clothing and equipment; decontamination techniques.

The course is designed to qualify enlisted men to fulfill the duties of non-commissioned officers in chemical sections of their branches of the Services.

Among the non-commissioned officers who will be graduated are Cpl. William J. McKenna, of Eddington, Pa. He attended the University of Pennsylvania and before entering the Army was a professor of economics at Greenbrier Military College.

LATEST NEWS BULLETINS

Sforza Says Churchill Applied Strong Pressure

Rome—Count Carlo Sforza, ousted from the Italian cabinet by British objections, declared today that Prime Minister Winston Churchill put strong pressure on him to accept King Victor Emmanuel at a conference a year ago. Sforza also contended that he had co-operated loyally with Marshal Pietro Badoglio until the Committee of National Liberation rejected the Marshal.

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WARMING HOPE

What a time the members of European aristocracy must have these days when they get together and, contemplating their fortunes, busy themselves warming up their hope of better days to come.

This must be the experience of Archduke Otto of Hapsburg, heir to the throne of Austria, who is currently visiting his relatives in Rome. If he should ever let his hope fade his mother, the Archduchess Zita, would blow the embers bright again.

So possibly will his relatives in Rome. There live Archduchess Maria and Archduchess Margaret, daughters of the former Archduke Leopold, Salvatore, both married to Italians. There in Rome too are Marchese Taliani de Marchio and Count Renteria, former Austrian ambassadors to many capitals. A more distant relative of Otto in Rome is Prince Heinrich of Bavaria, son of Rupprecht. Many Italian noblemen have Hapsburg blood. Prince Humbert of Italy had a Hapsburg grandmother.

When Otto spends an evening with these kinsfolk, to him sovereignty probably becomes something more than a vain regret.

DISCREDITED BY DOCTORS

Many persons must have been taken aback by recent pronouncements of the medical profession discounting the value of vitamins and the use of vaccines to prevent colds.

After a series of tests, Drs. Julian Ruffin and David Cayer, of Duke University, furnished a report questioning "if the indiscriminate use of vitamins, sold over the counter to people who have no obvious disease, is justified." They indicated that specific vitamins should be left to careful prescription by physicians for individual cases exhibiting symptoms of deficiency.

Now comes another report in the Journal of the American Medical Association, condemning the use of vaccines—whether by injection or by swallowing capsules—to prevent or cure the common cold. "Vaccines for colds cannot be recommended for routine administration to industrial groups or to individuals," says the joint report by the AMA councils on pharmacy, chemistry and industrial health. "At the present any attempt to prevent colds by the use of vaccines must be recognized as purely experimental."

Thus the medical profession appears to put its foot down hard on certain popular beliefs which are popular insofar as they suggest making good health easy by taking vitamins or "shots" to ward off disease. The danger of this popular attitude is that it seems to relieve people of a feeling of responsibility to obey the normal rules of health, giving them a complacent impression that everything is under control.

No formula ever will supplant common sense in keeping well. Nor can the science of medicine be reduced to simplified self-treatment. In cautioning the public along these lines, the medical profession is doing a worthwhile service.

ECHOES OF THE PAST

(By Courier Staff Member)

Review of the news as it appeared in the Bucks County Gazette issue dated at Bristol Feb. 7, 1884. The Gazette, a weekly newspaper published in Bristol, was discontinued following its merger with the Courier.

The attempt to stock the Delaware with salmon has proved a failure.

The Philadelphia Ice Boat No. 1 came up from the city last Saturday. Her chief officer is Harry Parker, an old Bristolian. The ice from Bristol to Petty's Island was reported to be about 15 inches thick, while above this point to Florence it was much thinner. The boat made a second trip up the river yesterday.

The Doylestown Democrat announces that "the Catholic priest at Bristol is about to establish a parochial school." We have understood for a long time that such a school was contemplated, but there has as yet no definite determination been made whether to do so or not. In course of time we presume such a school will be started.

The second annual meeting of the Bristol Cemetery Company was held last Saturday. The following persons were chosen directors for the ensuing year: Walter R. Johnson, J. Frank Rogers, Edmund Lawrence, Dr. H. Pursell, Philip Halzell, Lawrence Johnson and George Shoemaker. Robert McNeely was chosen superintendent. During the past year 25 lots were reported sold, making the total number disposed of 64. There were 18 interments last year, the total number of interments being 29.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will put weather signals on the news express on the Frederick division for the benefit of farmers. Red and blue suns, red and blue crescents and red and blue stars will indicate the different kinds of weather that may be expected.

Messrs. Wright and Stockhouse sold at public sale in Morrisville, on Saturday last, a fine lot of mules. They were perhaps unusually fine, and brought good prices; one pair running up to \$451. Mr. Wright

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CROYDON

Mrs. John Welsh, Sr., and Miss Hallie Haynes, Philadelphia, attended the graduation of John Welsh, Jr., from the Polk School, Moody Field, Ga. He is now ranked as a second lieutenant. John returned home with his mother and Miss Haynes for a 12-day furlough. He has gone to Tyndall Field, Fla., where he will be stationed. John is one of two sons of Mr. and Mrs. Welsh in the service. His brother, William, is a seaman first class (radioman) and is in the South Pacific.

Carl Markert, husband of Clara Markert, was recently promoted to the rank of sergeant. He was home over last week from Camp Lee, Va. Miss Ella Mae Pluma, Croydon, and Miss Edith MacAdorey, of Cornwells Heights, have been en-

tertaining with specialty dances at U. S. O. centers in Philadelphia, Fort Dix and Bristol. While in Philadelphia they entertained members of the Royal Navy.

The air raid wardens of Zone 2, Croydon, made up 35 Christmas boxes for hospitalized servicemen. They were given to the American Legion for distribution on Christmas morning. The medical supplies of the casualty station of Zone 2 have been turned over to Bucks County Rescue Squad.

ANDALUSIA

Cadet Richard Rossbauer is enjoying a week's furlough. He is stationed at Gettysburg College where he is training for the Air Corps. Pvt. Elmer Geiges, U. S. Marine Corps, stationed at Quantico, Va., is spending seven days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Geiges. Capt. Harry Pederson, Jr., spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pederson.

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So please help keep Long Distance lines clear for essential calls on December 24, 25 and 26.

War still needs the wires—even on holidays.

THE BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA

NEWPORTVILLE

The Girl Scouts held a covered dish social in the Church on Thursday evening, and invited their parents and members of the Scout Committee. It was also the Court of Award.

John Drodge, Jr., of the Merchant Marine, is confined to his home with three fractures in his foot, he falling off a ladder. He was in the Marine Hospital, Baltimore, Md., for a week.

Harry Brown was removed to Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia, in the Bucks County Rescue Squad Ambulance on Friday afternoon.

LANGHORNE

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bonnell, Feasterville Road, of the engagement of their daughter, Miss Beatrice A. Bonnell, to Sgt. William S. MacCorkle, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. William S. MacCorkle, of Croydon. Sgt. MacCorkle is now at Fort Riley, Kan.

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NOTICE OF LAST DAY FOR FILING OBJECTIONS TO DISCHARGE
In the Matter of Vestus John Spindler, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy No. 22461, January 16, 1945, has been fixed as the last day for the filing of objections to the discharge of said Bankrupt before Howard Benton Lewis, Referee in Bankruptcy, Room 202 United States Court House, 9th and Chestnut Sts., Philadelphia, Pa.

Classified Advertising

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deaths
BURTONWOOD—At Croydon Manor, Pa., Dec. 8, 1944, Edith R. wife of Isaiah Burtonwood. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the services at the Ruchel Funeral Home, 314 Cedar St., on Tuesday at 2 p. m. Interment, St. James Churchyard. Friends may call Monday evening.

HEATLEY—At Bristol, Pa., Dec. 9, 1944, Caroline wife of the late Harry H. Heatley. Funeral from her late residence, 115 Jefferson Ave., on Wednesday at 1:30 p. m. Services at St. James Episcopal Church at 2 o'clock. Interment, Bristol Cemetery. Friends may call Tuesday evening.

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District Meeting Planned Here By P. O. of A. Camp

Camp 89, P. O. of A., will have the honor this evening of having the president of the State Camp, Patriotic Order of Americans, at its meeting in the P. O. S. of A. hall, Bath street. The state president is Mrs. Edna E. Allen, of South Fork.

After the meeting of Camp 89, a district meeting will be held with Mrs. Frank Miller, Morrisville, president of Philadelphia - Bucks district, No. 7, presiding. At the district meeting, representatives from Yardley, Morrisville and Cornwells Heights camps will be guests of Camp 89.

All officers of Camp 89 are requested to wear white.

***** In a Personal Way - - -

INTERESTING items of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. - - -

To arrange for publication of weddings, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 816, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony. Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bauroth, Jr., have been receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter on Nov. 4th, in St. Louis, Mo. Mr. Bauroth, Jr., is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bauroth, Sr., Radcliffe street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lange and daughter, Theresa, Philadelphia, spent a few days last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank DiRenzo, Penn street.

Pvt. Ellis Coles, Fort Miles, Del., spent several days last week visiting at his home on Garden street. William McCahan, W. T. 3/c, who was stationed in Boston, Mass., spent a week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark McCahan, Hayes street. Spec. X 3/c, Elizabeth McCahan, Indianhead, Md., returned after spending a week with her parents.

Mrs. Louis Newburg and son, Lynbrook, L. I., are spending a few days with Mrs. Newburg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Armstrong, Sr., Jefferson avenue.

Robert Bauroth, A. S. Sampson, N. Y., returned after spending a

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Dec. 12—
Sauer kraut luncheon, given by Mothers Guild in St. James' parish house, 11:30 to 1 p. m.

Dec. 14—
Rummage sale sponsored by Camp 89, P. O. of A. Market and Cedar, 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Today's Quiet Moment

By Rev. Bickley Burns Brodhead
Pastor
Bensalem Methodist Church

God of peace, whose message of good will was heralded long years ago above the hills of Bethlehem, send to us that peace and good will which this world hurt sore cannot find.

Help us to learn how to live the more abundant life, that the roots of strife and conflict may not shivel our souls. We thirst after living water. The shallow fountains of our passing pleasures have run dry leaving our spirits parched. Lead us through this wilderness of war towards our promised land of peace. We pray in the name of the Prince of Peace, Amen.

day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bauroth, Sr., Radcliffe street.

Edward Bakelaar, East Circle, spent four days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kearney, Garfield, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Marinus Bakelaar and sons Norman and Robert, were Saturday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kearney and on Sunday were

guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kane, Passaic, N. J.

Mrs. Charles Swinehart, Garden street, and Miss Bertha McNe, Garden street, have returned from a week's trip to Cleveland, O., where they visited Sgt. Jesse Bartle, who is a patient in the Cyle General Hospital, recuperating from wounds received overseas. Sgt. Bartle is the son of Mrs. Adelia Bartle, Garden street.

Walter Poulette, Jackson street, and friends from North Wales, are spending two weeks in Pike County hunting deer and bear.

Willet Kennedy, Roosevelt street, spent last week in Philadelphia visiting Jerry Wargo.

Albert Moss, M.M.M. 3/c, New York, was an overnight guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moss, Beaver street. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moss, Jr., Mayfair, spent Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Moss, Sr.

William A. Hinkle, New Buckley street, has been ill at his home on New Buckley street.

PFC Rita Duty, Mitchell Field, L. I., spent a few days last week with Mrs. Benjamin Harman,

Spruce street. Staff Sgt. Robert Harman, Mitchell Field, L. I., is spending 15 days furlough at his home. He will go to Robbin Field, Ga., where he will be stationed.

Ensign Thomas Collier, Jr., who has been overseas for the past few months, is now in Norfolk, Va. His wife left for Norfolk, Va., to pay him a visit.

Louis J. Embiscuso, S. 2/c, who was in Camp Peary, Va., has been transferred to Camp Parker, Cal. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Santo Embiscuso, Dorrance street.

HULMEVILLE

William G. Chanter, of Drew Theological Seminary, Madison, N. J., was a guest yesterday of the Rev. and Mrs. Richard R. Gay.

A Wednesday visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Zarr was the former's mother, Mrs. R. R. Zarr, of Bristol Township.

The Christmas entertainment of Neshaminy Methodist Sunday School is scheduled for Monday evening, December 18th, at 7:30 o'clock. A "White Gift" service is planned, with members of the Sunday School and church being invited to take gifts of fresh or canned vegetables and fruits, wrapped in white paper, for donation at the Yuletide to the Methodist Orphanage, Philadelphia.

Dr. and Mrs. William Donohoe and daughter Claire Louise, of Lancaster, were entertained on Sunday at the Hillek residence, here. The place of residence of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Smith has been

changed from Hulmeville Park to the home of Mr. Smith's father on Trenton avenue.

Mrs. Robert Brien, Jr., visited relatives in Rahway, N. J., last week.

PITTSBURGH — Corp. Natalie Belersdorf, a WAC in New Guinea, wrote to her parents that native children at her island station salute

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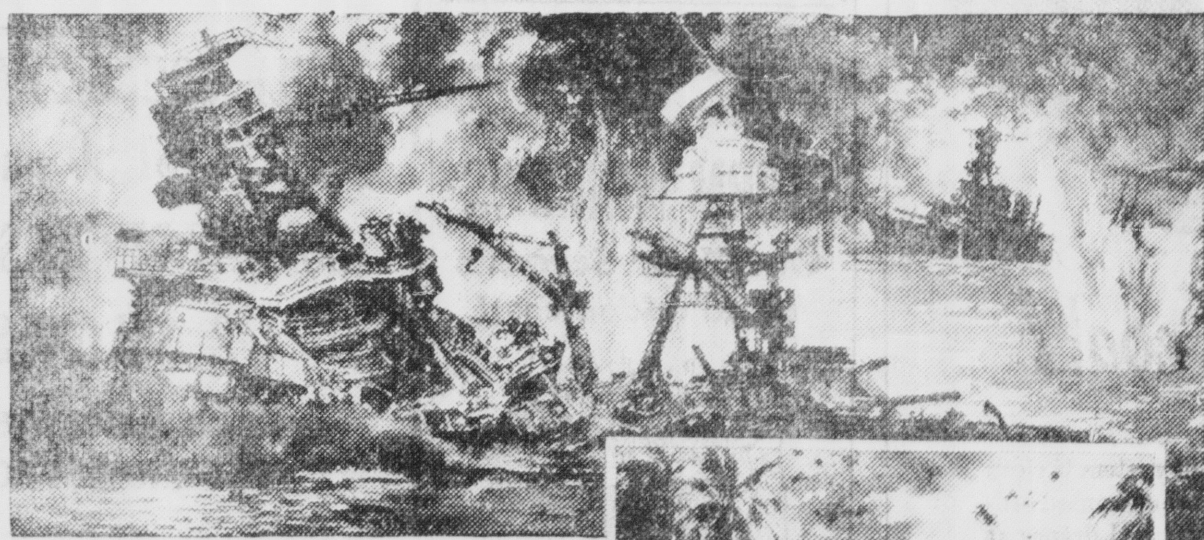
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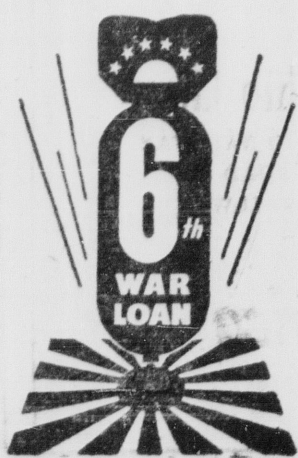
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FLEETWINGS TEAM IN THE INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE LOSES GAME

Panelyte Defeats Bristol Aircraft Engineers by The Score of 19 to 11

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Local Boys Have Poor Season in Trenton League

TRENTON, Dec. 11.—The Fleetwings Engineers basketball team dropped their fifth game of the Trenton Industrial League, losing a low-scoring tilt to the Panelyte fire, 19-11. The Engineers have won but one game and are in fifth place in the standing.

F. Iero scored 10 points to personally account for the Panelyte victory while Hornung's five points made him high man for the aircrafters.

Panelyte	Pd.G.	FIG.	Tot.
Iero	10	2	12
Hornung	5	0	5
Woods	1	1	2
Ward	1	1	2
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Fleetwings Engineers	Pd.G.	FIG.	Tot.
Ward	1	1	2
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Referee: Stevens. 3 5 11

Morrisville Easily Defeats Langhorne

MORRISVILLE, Dec. 11.—Morrisville High basketball team opened its season with a 60-12 victory over Langhorne, Friday night on the former's floor. The inexperienced Langhorne team in no way could cope with the Bulldogs who registered 27 field goals and six fouls.

Foti, Allison and Lebergren, of the winners scored more points than the Langhorne team with Foti leading the bunch with 18 points.

Morrisville High	Pd.G.	FIG.	Tot.
Foti	18	0	18
Allison	12	0	12
Lebergren	10	0	10
Ward	4	1	5
Ward	4	1	5
Ward	2	0	2
Ward	2	0	2
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Langhorne	Pd.G.	FIG.	Tot.
Ward	0	1	1
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Ward	0	1	1
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Referee: Walters. 5 2 12

Fire Loss During Last Quarter Listed at \$45,867

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several for field and forest; barns, 10; barns struck by lightning, 10; houses, 8; out-buildings, 3; greenhouse, 1; cider mill, 1; factory, 1; chimneys, 4; garage, 1; and school house, 1.

Discussion took place relative to some of the conflagrations. Leonard Roberts led the discussion on the green house fire at Trevoise; Mr. Cressman told of the Kaufman house fire at Quakertown in which one woman was burned when a gas explosion occurred, and Chief Larkins of South Langhorne Co. and Chief Frank Prall of Langhorne Co. told details of the fire at the Bumpf properties at South Langhorne, when eight houses were gutted and eight other damaged.

The men's meeting opened with the singing of "America" with invocation by the Rev. George Mack, pastor of the Chalfont Lutheran Church. Welcomes were extended by Mr. Graham, representing Chalfont borough council; Edward Fly, president, and Chief Raymond Locke of the local fire company. Twenty-six companies responded to roll call.

Two deaths among the membership in the last quarter were reported. James E. Groome and Louis M. Pickle, of Yardley. A resolution of respect for the late Mr. Groome who for 25 years served as president of the county association, was drawn up and a copy will be sent to members of his family. The Hon. Thomas B. Stockham, Morrisville, eulogized Mr. Groome and spoke of his long period of service to the association.

Judge Calvin S. Boyer, Doylestown, spoke to the group on the matter of increased juvenile delinquency.

A retired cartoonist entertained the men, he being J. C. Widney. One of his main pieces for the firemen was the simultaneous drawing, using both hands, of G. I. Jane and G. I. Joe.

The next meeting will be held in March at Tyro Hall Grange hall, Buckingham, with Midway Fire Co., of Lahaska, as host.

Mrs. Samuel Colbert, Trevoise, presided at the meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary. Mrs. Oscar Johnson, Langhorne, treasurer; Mrs. Louis C. Leedom, recording secretary; and Mrs. Raymond Strunk, Quakertown, financial secretary, gave their respective reports.

The Misses Helen Dzak and Violet Graham, vocalists; and Miss Mildred Brunner, pianist, of Dub-

lin, pleased with selections at both sessions.
The women also enjoyed a Christmas social with exchange of gifts.

Fire Destroys Burlington Theatre

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Consolidated Company, the pumper of Goodwill and the hose and chemical truck of America Hose, Hook & Ladder Co., No. 2, along with the canteen from the same company, responded to the call from Burlington for help. The Bristol firemen remained at the scene until two o'clock this morning.

More than 800 people were in the theatre at the time the flames were first discovered, but all left in an orderly manner and no one was hurt, according to report.

It was shortly after seven o'clock and during the first show that the blaze started. The theatre was about two-thirds full when smoke was noticed in the main auditorium. People at once began to leave and did so in an orderly manner. Some who were just entering the theatre returned to the street. Manager Milton Marion in the meantime was investigating the source of the blaze and as he entered the men's room in the basement he was confronted with dense smoke, but it is believed that the fire originated elsewhere in the building.

On either side of the theatre entrance are located stores, one occupied by the Capitol Furniture Company and one by the Ace Cleaners.

Rapidly eating its way into the huge auditorium from the basement, the fire raged unchecked for nearly four hours before tons of water poured into the structure by firemen responding to a general alarm brought the blaze under control.

Flames leaped from the building on the heels of the fleeing crowds, and within a short time billowing clouds of smoke had blanketed the entire central section of Burlington city.

The fire spread rapidly from the center of the auditorium and soon engulfed two stores flanking the theatre.

The general alarm was sounded in Burlington, and aid was summoned from Burlington township and Bristol. Additional help was called later from Mt. Holly and other surrounding communities.

Albert Lanciere, of Burlington, one of the patrons, realized a fire had started and turned in the alarm after leaving the theatre.

Just before the roof collapsed, the balcony gave way, sending tongues of flames shooting through the lower windows and doors.

Firemen mounted to the roofs of all nearby buildings to pour water into the blazing structure. For a time it was feared the heat of the fire, together with the excessive amount of water, might cause the walls to collapse, but when the blaze was brought under control, the danger appeared to have passed.

Lights in the block across the street from the theatre were cut off for a half hour when water flooded the subterranean conduits and caused a short circuit.

A number of volunteer firemen suffered minor effects of the smoke, but only two required first aid treatment. They were Alan Jones, of Burlington, and Thomas Gillice, of the Hope Fire Co., Burlington. Mr. Jones suffered chills and Mr. Gillice sustained severe lacerations of the right hand. The Red Cross and the Salvation Army set up emergency canteens at the scene.

Returns To Duties Following Wounding

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by V-mail to his parents. Recent ones recalled hunting days in the United States, and another in humorous vein referred to a "kicking" gun which caused his father to fall out of a small boat while hunting.

Postal Notes Will Be Sold Here Soon

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This new type of money order is to be available to post offices other than first class as rapidly as adequate stocks of postal notes come from the presses. However, from the beginning they can be cashed at any postoffice in the United States.

Eighteen denominations of stamps will be issued in connection with the postal notes to make up odd amounts. They will range in price from one to 90 cents, and there will be ten denominations of stamps ranging in value from \$1 to \$10.

The new postal note is designed as a safe, convenient and economical way of sending through the mails amounts of money not exceeding \$10. The simplified method of sale and accounting make it possible to handle the notes at a uniform fee of 5 cents. The conventional money order, however, is not being displaced by the new note.

A person desiring to send a postal note of \$2.93 will go to the money order window, where the clerk will affix a 90 cent stamp and a three cent stamp to a \$2 postal note, and exchange the note for

\$2.98. No application will have to be filled, and no writing will have to be done by the clerk. After being given the note the purchaser will write the name of the payee on the note, detach the record stub, on which the payee's name is recorded, and then mail the postal note.

Germans Circling For Anticipated Allied Blows

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The Ninth Army sector with the Yanks clearing the west banks of the Roer and mopping up the Germans from the bitterly contested area of the Sportsplatz west of Jülich.

First Army troops, on the Ninth's right flank, hammered new Lightning fast thrusts toward the Roer, clearing the Duren, marching more than a mile east of Luchen, almost directly east of the city. The Yanks rolled toward Schöphen, northward of Duren, and fought into the town of Pier.

South of the town, Lieut. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges, men slashed into the town of Gey, routing the Nazis in house-to-house fighting, after clearing the nearby villages of Stross and Schafberg, below Gey.

Reuter agency reported from the western front that the First Army seized the villages of Obergeich, Eichtz and D'Horn eastward to Duren, in an intensified night assault that forced the Nazis to withdraw under cover of darkness.

The Third Army repulsed three Nazi counter-attacks in as many hours against the Dillingen bridgehead, according to a front line dispatch from the Reuters Agency, which reported that all the Yanks' positions were restored by 5:30 a. m. today.

Residents of Upper End Aid The Boy Scouts

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There are 382 Scouts and cubs in the North Penn district, the largest council in Bucks county. Plans are under way now for the organiza-

tion of new troops and packs in the district. Reports submitted showed that 90 boys have been advanced to second class rank, 30 to first class; 19 to star and 2 to life rank.

Abram Mitman, of Sellersville, was elected chairman, last week; Lloyd Weisel, Perkase, vice-chairman, and Ray Musselman, Quakertown, was reappointed as district commissioner.

Henry Hoffman and Ray Hartman, of Quakertown, were nominated for membership on the executive board of the council. Paul R. Sine, Perkase; William M. Neumann, Richlandtown; C. R. Wilmer, Sellersville; Frank O'Rourke, Perkase; Nicholas Binsberger, Dublin; Henry Hoffman, Quakertown, and Ray Hartman, Quakertown, were elected as members-at-large in the district. Lloyd Weisel, district chairman, presided.

The camping and activities report showed participation in the Summer camp as well as the Chesapeake cruise for scouts and air scouts with 7 troops and 128 scouts taking part. The report of District Commissioner Ray Musselman showed need of a better organized neighborhood commissioner staff in order to accomplish objectives of complete service to each unit.

Here and There In Bucks County Towns

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er, Sylvester Sheetz, Frenchtown. Pvt. Sheetz said he was in a hospital in France recovering from injuries received in action against the enemy.

Members of the Southampton Women's Club, in session at the home of the president, Mrs. Paul DeGendesch, Southampton, on Thursday, were given tips on farming by County Agent William F. Greenawald, Doylestown, who commented upon methods of neutralizing the soil by proper fertilization, the conservation of soil by contour or strip farming and the rotation of crops.

Following the talk, the members took part in a discussion relative NOW, THEN, this makes it clear

to the eradication of obnoxious weeds, including ivy poison. They also discussed methods of getting rid of moles.

The program was in charge of the gardens and conservation committee, of which Mrs. Thomas J. Clemens is the chairman.

All officers were re-elected at the annual meeting of the Newtown Welfare Association at the home of Mrs. Horace A. Effrig, Newtown, last week.

The following were named to serve another year: President, J. Wilmer Landy; vice-president, Eugene Watson; secretary, Miss Laura Riddle; and treasurer, Mrs. Horace A. Effrig.

Mrs. Reuben Kester, Mrs. William W. Fabian and Mrs. Horace A. Effrig were named to serve on the working committee. The meeting was featured also by the annual reports of the secretary and treasurer.

Choral Club To Be At "B" Shift Rally

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The same program will be repeated for the "B" shift workers at their 8:30 p. m. lunch period at plants 1 and 2. At plant 3 the singing will take place at the noon lunch period in the area where the "movies" are usually shown.

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radical support he would have lost the State by more than 550,000 majority. Thus these new parties have gotten themselves into a position where they can exercise a degree of influence upon our presidential elections and our national parties altogether out of proportion to their size.

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How to stretch a ton of coal!

CONSERVING coal is going to be a "must" for everybody this winter. This isn't because less coal is being mined.

It is estimated that 29 millions more tons of coal will be mined this year than last—with fewer men. Quite a feat by mine owners and miners alike! And there are adequate rail facilities for bringing the coal to your city.

But certain grades and sizes of coal are needed for war production. And, in addition, your local dealer is suffering from a shortage of manpower, trucks and tires. So be patient with him.

And conserve the coal he is able to deliver to you. You can make your coal supply go at least 10% further—and save that much on your fuel bill—by taking a number of simple precautions.

See that your heating system is clean and in good repair. Close off unused bedrooms. Pull your shades and drapes at night. If you can, insulate. For other suggestions see your coal dealer.

One of the biggest jobs of the C&O Lines is hauling coal from the mines along its routes, so we're in a position to understand the problem, and to know how essential coal is these days.



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that the Democratic party is wholly dependent for its success in the greatest State of the Union upon these two independent parties in which are grouped all the real radicals, and in which the Communist influence, so far as the stronger one is concerned, is controlling. The inevitable effect of this dependence forces the Democratic party to the left. To keep this indispensable support in what usually is the indispensable state, it is compelled to take the radical road. From the practical political view there is no alternative. And once on the radical road there is no turning. Mr. Roosevelt found that out in previous administrations when once or twice he tried veering to the right only to be forced back by the Left Wingers. No one thinks he will so much as make an attempt in his next term.

THOUGHTFUL Democrats—particularly in the South—are rather appalled by this situation. They think the Democratic party has been sold out to the radicals for votes in the big states of the North. So far as New York is concerned, that idea is certainly justified. This so-called Democratic Administration makes occasional gestures, as in some of

its recent State Department appointments: but, in the main, its acts conform to the wishes of the leaders of these two radical parties and its direction is much the same. There is in these parties no trace of Democratic principles and no place for Democratic leaders of the conservative type.

IN THESE parties there is no concern about such things as the public debt, only a superficial and insincere regard for private enterprise plus a hearty contempt for those old fashioned enough to urge the value of economy and efficiency in government. Their main ideas are to make the rich pay all the taxes, put labor unions into the management of business, and have the Government guarantee good jobs, high wages, ample vacations, full security from the "cradle to grave." These, of course, are popular, though impractical, ideas and

are ardently advocated by the radical press. And Mr. Wallace is their hero.

THEY ARE, it has been declared, "grooming him for 1948," and the President repeatedly has said that he contemplates a highly important place for Mr. Wallace in his new Administration. In the main, he likes Mr. Wallace's ideas, though he never publicly goes as far with them as Mr. Wallace goes. In the main, they were his ideas before they were Mr. Wallace's. So does the CIO, with which he is politically linked, like them. Between them they are in position to make progress along those lines in the next four years, despite the fact that, with the war over and freed from party label restrictions, the bulk of the Democrats of the country—and, in fact, the country—would not want to go in that direction.

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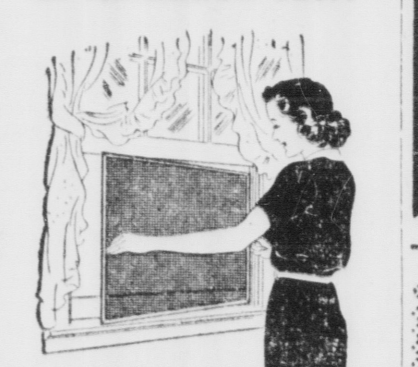
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First Game: 7:30

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FOR ANTICIPATED
BLOWS BY ALLIES

Expect Smashing Allied
Blow From Across
Roer River

DEFENSES EXPANDED

1st Army Troops Hammer
Lightning Thrusts
Toward Duren

PARIS, Dec. 11.—(INS)—German
troops along the vital Roer River
girded themselves today in antici-
pation of a smashing Allied blow
across the stream while troops of
the American First Army threat-
ened the enemy-held communica-
tions centers along its banks at
Duren and Julich.

While American Third Army
troops, to the south, hurled another
bridge-head over the oft-crossed
Roer River, front-line dispatches
indicated that the Nazis are rapidly
expanding their defense positions
along the Roer on the American
Ninth Army sector.

Activity was relatively sparse on
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Newspaper Publishers
Elect New President

H. Chester Morris, of the Public
spirit, Hatboro, was elected pres-
ident of the Montgomery-Bucks
Newspaper Association at a meet-
ing held in the Adelphia Hotel,
Saturday afternoon.

In addition to Morris the follow-
ing were also elected as officers
of the association: William J. Ellis,
Drexel Hill; Charles M. Meredith,
Quakertown; Foster C. Hillegass,
Pennsburg, vice presidents; Walter
L. Sanborn, Lansdale, secretary
and treasurer, Harry Kimmelman,
Media, was appointed chairman of
the program committee.

The association meets monthly
and is devoted to the interests of
newspaper publishers of Bucks,
Montgomery, Delaware and Chester
counties.

Harry B. Heywood, Conshohocken,
retired as president after serv-
ing 28 years.

THE HEADLEY FUNERAL

Funeral of Mrs. Harry H. Head-
ley, who died here on Saturday,
will be held from her late home,
115 Jefferson avenue, on Wednes-
day at 1:30 o'clock. Service will be
conducted in St. James' Episcopal
Church at two o'clock. Interment
will be in Bristol Cemetery, with
Robert C. Ruchel, funeral director,
in charge. The Bristol W. C. T. U.
will meet at the home of the late
Mrs. Headley, for a memorial serv-
ice on Tuesday evening at seven
o'clock.

CHRISTMAS DINNER

The 14th anniversary of the Jun-
ior Travel Club will be observed
at a catered Christmas dinner in
the club home, Cedar street, on
Wednesday at 6:30 p. m. Group
singing of carols, vocal solos, and
readings, will be on the program.
Sixty guests have made reserva-
tions.

FIREMAN LOSES HAT

One of the Bristol firemen in re-
sponding to the call from Burling-
ton for help last night, lost his
fireman's hat. The finder is asked
to return the same to the Bristol
Consolidated Fire Station.

IMPROVING

Assistant Bucks County Detective
William L. Stackhouse, Doylest-
own, who has been a patient in
Arlington Hospital, expects to re-
turn home in a few days.

LOCAL WEATHER
OBSERVATIONS
FOR 24 HOUR PERIOD ENDING 8 A. M.
AT ROHM & HAAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY
BRISTOL, PA.

Temperature Readings	
Maximum	29 F
Minimum	26 F
Range	13 F
Hourly Temperatures	
8 a. m. yesterday	28
9	28
10	28
11	28
12 noon	28
1	28
2	28
3	28
4	28
5	28
6	28
7	28
8	28
9	28
10	28
11	28
12 midnight	28
1 a. m. today	27
2	27
3	27
4	27
5	27
6	27
7	27
8	27
P. C. Relative Humidity	98
Precipitation (inches)	0
TIDES AT BRISTOL	
High water	12:37 a. m.; 1:06 p. m.
Low water	7:41 a. m.; 8:11 p. m.

UP-TO-PRESS-TIME WAR BULLETINS

(By International News Service)

BRITISH 36TH INFANTRY DRIVES THROUGH
NORTHERN BURMA

New Delhi.—The British 36th Infantry Division drove through north-
ern Burma today on the heels of the retreating Japanese to engulf the
Neba junction and take possession of Indaw without opposition, making
a total British gain in northern Burma of 100 miles since they pushed
off from Mogaung last August.

BUDAPEST ROARS WITH SOUND OF BATTLE

Moscow.—Budapest roared with the sound of battle today as Soviet
forces closed in from three sides for an all-out attack on the Hungarian
capital. One column of the Soviet Third Ukrainian Army closed in on the
city within seven miles from the north while to the east the Red Army
columns were only five miles away. From the south a third column had
fought its way to within ten miles of the city.

HERE AND THERE IN
BUCKS COUNTY TOWNS

Activities of Interest To
All In The Various
Communities

GLEANED BY SCRIBES

Pvt. Raymond C. Sheetz, of Er-
winna, who was previously report-
ed missing in action in France
since Oct. 4, is safe and back in
his company.

Pvt. Sheetz entered the Army in
March, 1943, and was assigned to
an infantry unit. He was stationed
at Fort Jackson, S. C., in Tennes-
see for maneuvers, and at Camp
Atterbury, Ind. He was sent to
Fort Meade, Md., before going
overseas in May. Pvt. Sheetz was
in England on D-Day, and since
then has been in action in France.
His mother received a letter, say-
ing he had joined the Rangers,
with whom he is now serving.
In a letter written to his brother
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Pvt. Dorothy P. Quinn Is
Taking Basic Training

FORT OGLETHORPE, Ga., Dec.
11.—Pvt. Dorothy P. Quinn of
Bristol, Pa., is taking basic train-
ing at the Third WAC Training
Center here as a member of the
"Keystone" Company. This unit,
formed in honor of the famous 28th,
or Keystone, Division, consists of
Pennsylvania women who recently
enlisted in the Women's Army
Corps.

A former student at the Wilbur
Watts High School in Burlington,
N. J., Pvt. Quinn was employed as
personnel consultant for women at
the Rohm & Haas Company in
Bristol prior to enlistment.
The new WAC is the daughter of
Mrs. A. Matilda Potts, 184 Schu-
macher Drive, Bristol, and William
S. Potts, Burlington, N. J.

SAUER KRAUT LUNCHEON

The Mothers Guild of St. James'
Church will give a sauer kraut
luncheon tomorrow in the parish
house, Walnut and Wood street.
The time set for the luncheon is
11:30 a. m. to one o'clock.

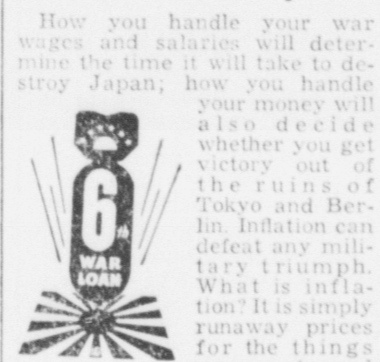
DON'T BE LATE!

The Courier reserves the
right to reject copy for display
advertising which is received
later than two days previous
to the day of publication. This
rule is new effective and will
be in force until after January
1st and may be extended.

All display advertising copy
for insertion in The Bristol
Courier must be at the Courier
office not later than 12 o'clock
noon, two days previous to day
on which the advertising is to
appear. We reserve the right to
reject copy received after the
designated time.

This rule is made necessary
in order to give the mechanical
department ample time in
which to set the advertisement,
and properly illustrate it. It is
hoped that advertisers will co-
operate and make reservations
for space desired, and furnish
their copy on time.
Copy will not be accepted
after the expiration of the
deadline announced above.
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To the People
of this Community



How you handle your war
wages and salaries will deter-
mine the time it will take to de-
stroy Japan; how you handle
your money will also decide
whether you get victory out of
the ruins of Tokyo and Berlin.
Inflation can defeat any mili-
tary triumph. What is infla-
tion? It is simply runaway prices
for the things you eat and
wear and sundry other items
which make up your way of liv-
ing. Every War Bond is insur-
ance against inflation because it
removes from the market place
dangerous dollars, dollars which
in competition with the dollars of
your neighbors would shoot sky-
ward the price of a limited sup-
ply of civilian goods.
You read about conversion
often in this newspaper. Con-
version eventually will mean normal
stocks of the things you like for
your home and for yourself.
However, you still have a war to
win. War goods come first, until
Japan is beaten. Even with the
about help of every American
at home and on the fighting
fronts, the knockout of the Nip-
may take at least two more
years from the day Hitler goes
down for the final count. Mean-
while the best way you can
celebrate good news from Euro-
pe is to buy more War Bonds.
Every extra \$100 War Bond
bombs two enemies—Tokyo and
Inflation.
THE EDITOR.

BURGESS JACOB C. SCHMIDT AND CHIEF
OF POLICE LINFORD J. JONES APPEAL TO
PEOPLE TO PREVENT ALL ACCIDENTS HERE

For a happier Christmas—avoid
accidents!
The National Safety Council
made that appeal today through
Burgess Jacob C. Schmidt and
Chief of Police Linford J. Jones in
announcing a campaign to reduce
the huge accident toll that annu-
ally mars the Christmas holiday sea-
son in the Bristol area.
"It is a simple fact," said Ned H.
Dearborn, president of the Council,
"that this is not going to be a
Merry Christmas for a lot of peo-
ple. There are few homes in Amer-
ica that have not felt the touch of
war in one way or another.
"This cannot be helped. But we
can help to prevent holiday acci-
dents that also bring tragedy and
each year make a mockery of
Christmas in thousands of Ameri-
can homes.
"An accident that brings death

RESIDENTS OF UPPER END
AID THE BOY SCOUTS

Contribute \$2,894.15 To
Work of Bucks Co. Boy
Scout Council

382 YOUTHS ENROLLED

QUAKERTOWN, Dec. 11.—A total
of \$2,894.15 has been contributed
this year by residents of the North
Penn district to the financial cam-
paign of Bucks County Council of
Boy Scouts.

In recent reports given by C. R.
Witmer, chairman of finance for
the district, this total is well in
excess of last year's contribution
to Bucks county scouting.

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Fire Damages the Nesath
Home at Newportville

NEWPORTVILLE, Dec. 11.—
Slight amount of damage was
caused yesterday morning at 7:15
when fire broke out at the home of
Andes Nesath, in the upper sec-
tion of this village.

The fire was confined to the out-
side portion of the wall at the
front of the dwelling, which was
of frame covered with asbestos
shingles. It is believed that sparks
from a fireplace ignited the wall.
Members of the family discovered
the blaze and called firemen, with
members from Hulmeville, New-
portville, Newport Terrace, Bristol
Consolidated, and Goodwill Co., No.
3, of Bristol, answering with their
apparatus. Water was pumped from
"booster" tanks.

When firemen arrived smoke was
emanating from near the chimney
in one of the bedrooms. Damage is
estimated by firemen at approxi-
mately \$50.

A Real "Smoke-Hound"

(By "The Stroller")

As Hulmeville firemen com-
menced battling a blaze in
Newportville early yesterday
morning, they were surprised to
see their newest member,
who had joined the company
only a week previous, busy with
the lines.

"How did you get here?" one
of the company officers queried,
certain that the newest fire-
fighter had not ridden on the
engine. "Oh, I took a bus," was
the calm reply.

Later, the entire story came
out. Hearing the alarm at his
home, just a stone's throw from
the fire station, the new recruit
hurriedly dressed, but he wasn't
quick enough. The engine had
pulled out by the time he reached
his front door as his bride's
suggestion that he comb his
hair before leaving rang in his
ears.

Not knowing where the fire
was, but sensing the general
direction as that of Newport-
ville, he wondered if it might
be his time, and sure enough
along came a bus. He boarded
it and the bus accommodat-
ingly took him to the fire's front
door. Leaping off, he manned a
line, and then triumphantly
rode home on the engine.



Capellas Entertain In
Honor of Their Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Capella,
Locan street, gave a birthday party
for their daughter Lois, aged eight,
Thursday evening. Games were
played and prizes were awarded to
Carmella Polumbo, Antonette
Napoli, Louis Clotti, Thomas An-
tonelli.

Refreshments were served and
the rooms were decorated in pink.
The girls were given pink hair
bows, and each boy received a bow
tie. Lois received many gifts.

Others present: Lillian Puchino,
Florence Pitzuta, Anna DiRiesi,
Alice Marsh, Carmella Rossi,
Louise Piazza, Dolores Placento,
Frances Chilleri, Thomas Sinacori,
Frank Caruso, Joan Loretta, Ron-
ald and Frank Capella.

RETURNS FROM GREENLAND

PARKLAND, Dec. 11.—Cpl. Ed-
ward Stemme, who returned re-
cently from 20 months stay in
Greenland, received a royal wel-
come from his wife, his 22-month-
old daughter, Kathryn Marie, and
other relatives. He is on 21 days
leave. At a port en route home he
saw a white woman for the first
time in 20 months.

POSTAL NOTES WILL
BE SOLD HERE SOON

New Type Money Order
Will Be Big Convenience
To the Public

SALES ON JANUARY 1

Bristol post office will be one of
the 1575 first class post offices
which will on January 1st start
sale of postal notes, contract for
100,000,000 has recently been
awarded.

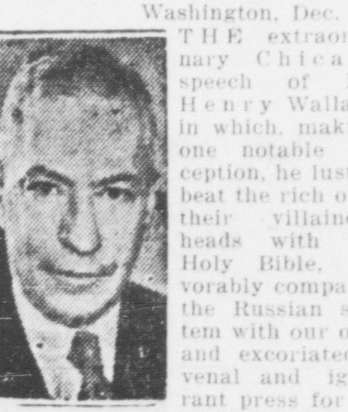
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THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

By FRANK R. KENT

(Distributed by McNaught Syndicate, Inc.)

The Two New Parties



Washington, Dec. 11.—THE extraor-
dinary Chicago
speech of Mr.
Henry Wallace,
in which, making
one notable ex-
ception, he lustily
beat the rich over
their villainous
heads with the
Holy Bible, fa-
vorably compared
the Russian sys-
tem with our own
and exoriated a
venal and igno-
rant press for its
failure to recognize that the "peo-
ple's revolution" is on, has served,
perhaps, two useful purposes.

FOR one it has demonstrated again
the strangely warped nature of Mr.
Wallace's reasoning processes and
the degree to which he is over-
balanced by his highly emotional
evangelism. This will be useful if it
renders Mr. Wallace less available
for any public office of power and
responsibility. For another, it
again calls attention to the two new
political parties in New York, It

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Mrs. Frank Streit, 56,
Of Hulmeville, Dies

HULMEVILLE, Dec. 11.—Ill for a
lengthy period of time, Mrs. Minnie
Streit, wife of Frank Streit, died
at the home of her brother-in-law
and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph
Anderson, Philadelphia, on Satur-
day. Mrs. Streit had been confined
to bed for the past nine weeks. She
was 56 years of age.

The Streits are proprietors of
Hulmeville Park, where they made
their home.

Born in Newark, N. J., Mrs.
Streit spent most of her life in
Philadelphia, coming to Hulmeville
17 years ago.

In addition to her husband she is
survived by a daughter, Mrs. Rich-
ard Hardin, Knoxville, Tenn., and
a son, PFC Francis Streit, station-
ed at Drew Field, Tampa, Fla.; also
by three sisters and a brother, Mrs.
C. Bush, Mrs. Joseph Anderson,
Miss Anna Pfrommer, and Edward
Pfrommer, Philadelphia. A grand-
son, William Hardin, of Knoxville,
Tenn., also survives.

Mrs. Streit's son arrived yester-
day from Florida to attend the fun-
eral, and her daughter has been
visiting here.

The rites will be conducted on
Wednesday morning at nine o'clock
from the Anderson home, in Phila-
delphia, with Solemn High Mass in
St. Bartholomew's R. C. Church,
Wissinoming, at 10 o'clock. Burial
will be in St. Dominick's Cemetery,
Holmesburg.

The deceased was a member of
the General MacArthur Chapter,
American War Mothers, South
Langhorne.

RETURNS TO DUTIES
FOLLOWING WOUNDING

Pvt. Emil Stefek, 19, Highly
Praised by Command-
ing Officer

HAS SILVER STAR

Pvt. Emil Stefek, Jr., 19, who
suffered wounds of the legs in ac-
tion in France on September 13th,
has returned to duty, according to
information sent his parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Emil Stefek, of 16 Fleet-
wing Drive, Fleetwings Estates.

Stefek, who is with the 7th In-
fantry, U. S. Army, in France, is
the recipient of a Silver Star
award. He informed his parents a
few months ago that he had volun-
teered to open a mined road, and
that more information would come
from his commanding officer.
Shortly thereafter Capt. John W.
Blakie, of the 7th Infantry, wrote
Mr. and Mrs. Stefek as follows:
"Too rarely have I opportunity to
praise men of my command. It is
my wish that the families and
friends of my men be acquainted
with the commendable job they are
doing. I take pleasure in writing
you about Pvt. Emil Stefek.
"His personal courage and able
performance of duty have won the
admiration of the entire company.
These excellent qualities and other
fine attributes are highly gratify-
ing to me. Such men make us all
proud of our particular unit."
On Friday last the Stefeks re-
ceived the Purple Heart medal
which their son forwarded them.
The young man entered the army
in November, 1943, and went over-
seas in April. He served in North
Africa, Sicily, Italy and in France.
His training was received at Fort
McClellan, Ala.

Pvt. Stefek, who enjoys drawing
cartoons, occasionally sends such
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Patricia Whittam Named
Jr. Class Vice President

LANGHORNE, Dec. 11.—A local
young woman, Miss Patricia A.
Whittam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Frank F. Whittam, has been named
vice-president of the junior class
at Bucknell University, Lewisburg.

Miss Whittam, who is enrolled in
the liberal arts course at Bucknell,
is a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority
and Alpha Lambda Delta, a
national honorary fraternity for
freshmen women. She was se-
lected as a freshman counselor in
April of this year and was elected
to represent the junior class in the
Women's Student Government As-
sociation. Miss Whittam is a gradu-
ate of the Langhorne-Middletown
High School.

FIRE LOSS DURING
LAST QUARTER IS
LISTED AT \$45,867

Bucks Co. Firemen Presided
Over by Lloyd Crouthamel
At Chalfont

26 CO'S. REPRESENTED

Judge Boyer Speaks; Ladies'
Auxiliary Has A Christ-
mas Party

CHALFONT, Dec. 18.—In the ab-
sence of William L. Stackhouse,
Doylestown, president of Bucks
County Firemen's Association, the
quarterly meeting on Saturday eve-
ning was presided over by the vice-
president, Lloyd Crouthamel, of
Dublin. This was the first session
of the association missed by Mr.
Stackhouse in 28 years it was an-
nounced. Mr. Stackhouse is hospi-
talized at Abington.

The county firemen gathered in
the school house, and members of
the Ladies' Auxiliary in the local
fire station, with the two groups
meeting in the latter place later for
refreshments.

Raymond E. Strunk, Quakertown,
fire marshal of the county, reported
32 alarms during the past three
months, with loss placed at \$45,867.
Property at risk was valued at
\$219,745, and insurance carried to-
taled \$101,350. The fires included
Continued on Page Four

Bristol Boys Meet In
Netherlands E. Indies

Pvt. Alexander Cornacchione,
who is serving overseas, was thrill-
ed recently to greet some of his
home-town friends.

Writing his mother here he says
in part:

"Guess who I found? Yes, our
own neighbor, Anthony Deny. ...
fond street. And I also met Nick
Palumbo from Jefferson avenue.
And another fellow from Bath
street. His name is Joe Cahill. ...
There is a paper here which is
published by the infantry. ... So
I looked at the sport section and
saw the boys who won the games
in baseball. I saw a fellow named
Joe Cahill from Bristol, Pa.
What! I said, 'A fellow from Bris-
tol here?' So I found out he was
in an infantry unit about two
miles down the road. So I wrote
to him and told him I'd see him
today. ... Joe said 'I know an-
other fellow here from Bristol and
his name is Nick Palumbo. ... I
caught up with the group and he
(Palumbo) shook hands with me
and said that I'm the first Bristol
boy he saw since his four years in
the army. ... After a while we
ate chow when Nick said that he
knew another Bristol fellow who
was with him for the past four
years. ... Anthony Deny. ...
Boy, I surely was happy to see
them all. ... When he first saw me
he didn't recognize me. He finally
shouted 'Alex!' Gee, I was so
happy to see my neighbor who he
knew so well ever since we were
kids. ... Most of all we all asked
how all our moms and dads are.
Just imagine four Bristol fellows
there in one area all happy be-
cause we met each other. ...
"Don't forget to have a merry
merry Christmas and a joyous
New Year and most of all just
make believe we are there with
you. We will be, if not in body in
spirits. ... Somewhere in the
Netherlands East Indies we four
Bristol boys are, and well and
happy."

WHAT OUR BOYS
ARE DOING TO
WIN THE WAR

EDGEMOOR ARSENAL, Md.,
Dec. 11.—Members of Chemical
Warfare School's Toxic Gas
Handlers' Class for non-com-
missioned officers of the Army
and Navy will complete an ex-
acting course of training today.

Some of the subjects included
in the Toxic Gas Handlers' Course
are offensive and defensive
tactics of gas warfare; the
prevention and the treatment of
gas casualties; the use of pro-
tective clothing and equipment;
decontamination techniques.

The course is designed to qual-
ify enlisted men to fulfill the
duties of non-commissioned of-
ficers in chemical sections of
their branches of the Service.

Among the non-commissioned
officers who will be graduated—
Cpl. William J. McKenna, of
Edgington, Pa. He attended the
University of Pennsylvania and
before entering the Army was a
professor of economics at Green-
brier Military College.

LATEST NEWS BULLETINS

Sforza Says Churchill Applied Strong Pressure

Rome.—Count Carlo Sforza, ousted from the Italian cabinet by Brit-
ish objections, declared today that Prime Minister Winston Churchill
put strong pressure on him to accept King Victor Emmanuel at a con-
ference a year ago. Sforza also contended that he had co-operated loy-
ally with Marshal Pietro Badoglio until the Committee of National Lib-
eration rejected the Marshal.

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WARMING HOPE

What a time the members of European aristocracy must have these days when they get together and, contemplating their fortunes, busy themselves warming up their hope of better days to come.

This must be the experience of Archduke Otto of Hapsburg, heir to the throne of Austria, who is currently visiting his relatives in Rome. If he should ever let his hope fade his mother, the Archduchess Zita, would blow the embers bright again.

So possibly will his relatives in Rome. There live Archduchess Maria and Archduchess Margaret, daughters of the former Archduke Leopold, Salvatore, both married to Italians. There in Rome too are Marchese Taliani de Marchio and Count Reverera, former Austrian ambassador to many capitals. A more distant relative of Otto in Rome is Prince Heinrich of Bavaria, son of Rupprecht. Many Italian noblemen have Hapsburg blood. Prince Humbert of Italy had a Hapsburg grandmother.

When Otto spends an evening with these kinsfolk, to him sovereignty probably becomes something more than a vain regret.

DISCREDITED BY DOCTORS

Many persons must have been taken aback by recent pronouncements of the medical profession discounting the value of vitamins and the use of vaccines to prevent colds.

After a series of tests, Drs. Julian Ruffin and David Cayer, of Duke University, furnished a report questioning "if the indiscriminate use of vitamins, sold over the counter to people who have no obvious disease, is justified." They indicated that specific vitamins should be left to careful prescription by physicians for individual cases exhibiting symptoms of deficiency.

Now comes another report in the Journal of the American Medical Association, condemning the use of vaccines—whether by injection or by swallowing capsules—to prevent or cure the common cold. "Vaccines for colds cannot be recommended for routine administration to industrial groups or to individuals," says the joint report by the AMA councils on pharmacy, chemistry and industrial health. "At the present any attempt to prevent colds by the use of vaccines must be recognized as purely experimental."

Thus the medical profession appears to put its foot down hard on certain popular beliefs which are popular insofar as they suggest making good health easy by taking vitamins or "shots" to ward off disease. The danger of this popular attitude is that it seems to relieve people of a feeling of responsibility to obey the normal rules of health, giving them a complacent impression that everything is under control.

No formula ever will supplant common sense in keeping well. Nor can the science of medicine be reduced to simplified self-treatment. In cautioning the public along these lines, the medical profession is doing a worthwhile service.

ECHOES OF THE PAST

(By Courier Staff Member)

Review of the news as it appeared in the Bucks County Gazette issue dated at Bristol Feb. 7, 1884. The Gazette, a weekly newspaper published in Bristol, was discontinued following its merger with the Courier.

The attempt to stock the Delaware with salmon has proved a failure.

The Philadelphia Ice Boat No. 1 came up from the city last Saturday. Her chief officer is Harry Parker, an old Bristolian. The ice from Bristol to Petty's Island was reported to be about 15 inches thick, while above this point to Florence it was much thinner. The boat made a second trip up the river yesterday.

The Doylestown Democrat announces that "The Catholic priest at Bristol is about to establish a parochial school." We have understood for a long time that such a school was contemplated, but there has as yet no definite determination been made whether to do so or not. In course of time we presume such a school will be started.

The second annual meeting of the Bristol Cemetery Company was held last Saturday. The following persons were chosen directors for the ensuing year: Walter R. Johnson, J. Frank Rogers, Edmund Lawrence, Dr. H. Purcell, Philip Halzell, Lawrence Johnson and George Shoemaker. Robert McNeely was chosen superintendent. During the past year 25 lots were reported sold, making the total number disposed of 64. There were 18 interments last year, the total number of interments being 29.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will put weather signals on the news express on the Frederick division for the benefit of farmers. Red and blue stars, red and blue crescents and red and blue stars will indicate the different kinds of weather that may be expected.

Messrs. Wright and Stackhouse sold at public sale in Morrisville on Saturday last, a fine lot of mules. They were perhaps unusually fine, and brought good prices; one pair running up to \$451. Mr. Wright

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CROYDON

Mrs. John Welsh, Sr., and Miss Hallie Haynes, Philadelphia, attended the graduation of John Welsh, Jr., from the Polk School, Moody Field, Ga. He is now ranked as a second lieutenant. John returned home with his mother and Miss Haynes for a 12-day furlough. He has gone to Tyndall Field, Fla., where he will be stationed. John is one of two sons of Mr. and Mrs. Welsh in the service. His brother, William, is a seaman first class (radioman) and is in the South Pacific.

Carl Markert, husband of Clara Markert, was recently promoted to the rank of sergeant. He was home over last week from Camp Lee, Va. Miss Ella Mae Pluma, Croydon, and Miss Edith MacAdorey, of Cornwells Heights, have been en-

tertaining with specialty dances at U. S. O. centers in Philadelphia, Fort Dix and Bristol. While in Philadelphia they entertained members of the Royal Navy.

The air raid wardens of Zone 2, Croydon, made up 36 Christmas boxes for hospitalized servicemen. They were given to the American Legion for distribution on Christmas morning. The medical supplies of the casualty station of Zone 2 have been turned over to Bucks County Rescue Squad.

ANDALUSIA

Cadet Richard Rossbauer is enjoying a week's furlough. He is stationed at Gettysburg College where he is training for the Air Corps.

Pvt. Elmer Geiges, U. S. Marine Corps, stationed at Quantico, Va., is spending seven days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Geiges. Capt. Harry Pederson, Jr., spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pederson.

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NEWPORTVILLE

The Girl Scouts held a covered dish social in the Church on Thursday evening, and invited their parents and members of the Scout Committee. It was also the Court of Award.

John Drodge, Jr., of the Merchant Marine, is confined to his home with three fractures in his foot, he falling off a ladder. He was in the Marine Hospital, Baltimore, Md., for a week.

Harry Brown was removed to Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia, in the Bucks County Rescue Squad Ambulance on Friday afternoon.

LANGHORNE

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bonnell, Feasterville Road, of the engagement of their daughter, Miss Beatrice A. Bonnell, to Sgt. William S. MacCorkle, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. William S. MacCorkle, of Croydon. Sgt. MacCorkle is now at Fort Riley, Kan.

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AUCTIONS—LEGALS

Notice of Last Day For Filing Objections to Discharge

In the Matter of Vestus John Sander, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy No. 22461. January 16, 1945, has been fixed as the last day for the filing of objections to the discharge of said Bankrupt before Howard Benton Lewis, Referee in Bankruptcy, Room 6052 United States Court House, 9th and Chestnut Sts., Philadelphia, Pa.
A—12-11-44

Classified Advertising

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deaths

BURTON WOOD—At Croydon Manor, Pa., Dec. 8, 1944, Edith R. wife of Isiah Burton Wood. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the services at the Ruchl Funeral Home, 314 Cedar St., on Tuesday at 2 p. m. Interment St. James Churchyard. Friends may call Monday evening.

HEADLEY—At Bristol, Pa., Dec. 9, 1944, Caroline, wife of the late Harry H. Headley. Funeral from her late residence, 115 Jefferson Ave., on Wednesday at 1:30 p. m. Services at St. James Episcopal Church, at 2 o'clock. Interment Bristol Cemetery. Friends may call Tuesday evening.

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LOST—Gold carrying with green, blue and white spots. Lost cor. of Linden and Otter Sts., Nov. 16. Finder please return to 521 Linden Street. Reward.

AUTOMOTIVE

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Painting, Papering, Decorating 26
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Good Things to Eat 57

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Household Goods 59

CHILD'S DESK—Roll top, & swivel chair, w/robe, dresser, adding day bed; cherry wardrobe. 347 Cedar St. Phone 2458.

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BATHING—Admin 613 Race street

Seeds, Plants, Flowers 63

CHRISTMAS TREES—For sale, \$1. to \$14. Wilson's Florist, Beaver Dam Road & Bristol Terrace.

Specials at the Stores

District Meeting Planned Here By P. O. of A. Camp

Camp 89, P. O. of A., will have the honor this evening of having the president of the State Camp, Patriotic Order of Americans, at its meeting in the P. O. S. of A. hall, Bath street. The state president is Mrs. Edna E. Allen, of South Fork.

After the meeting of Camp 89, a district meeting will be held with Mrs. Frank Miller, Morrisville, president of Philadelphia - Bucks district, No. 7, presiding. At the district meeting, representatives from Yardley, Morrisville and Cornwells Heights camps will be guests of Camp 89.

All officers of Camp 89 are requested to wear white.

In a Personal Way - - -

INTERESTING items of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. - - -

To arrange for publication of weddings, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 846, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony. Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bauroth, Jr., have been receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter on Nov. 4th, in St. Louis, Mo. Mr. Bauroth, Jr., is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bauroth, Sr., Radcliffe street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lange and daughter Theresa, Philadelphia, spent a few days last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank DiRenzo, Penn street.

Pvt. Ellis Coles, Fort Miles, Del., spent several days last week visiting at his home on Garden street. William McCahan, W. T. 3/c, who was stationed in Boston, Mass., spent a week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark McCahan, Hayes street, Spec. X 3/- Elizabeth McCahan, Indianhead, Md., returned after spending a week with her parents.

Mrs. Louis Newburg and son, Lynnbrook, L. I., are spending a few days with Mrs. Newburg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Armstrong, Sr., Jefferson avenue.

Robert Bauroth, A. S., Sampson, N. Y., returned after spending a

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Coming Events

Dec. 12—
Sauer kraut luncheon, given by Mothers Guild in St. James' parish house, 11:30 to 1 p. m.

Dec. 14—
Rummage sale sponsored by Camp 89, P. O. of A., Market and Cedar, 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kane, Passaic, N. J.

Mrs. Charles Swinehart, Garden street, and Miss Bertha McCre, Garden street, have returned from a week's trip to Cleveland, O., where they visited Sgt. Jesse Bartle, who is a patient in the Cryle General Hospital, recuperating from wounds received overseas. Sgt. Bartle is the son of Mrs. Adelia Bartle, Garden street.

Walter Poulette, Jackson street, and friends from North Wales, are spending two weeks in Pike County hunting deer and bear.

Willet Kennedy, Roosevelt street, spent last week in Philadelphia visiting Jerry Wargo.

Albert Moss, M.M.M. 3/c, New York, was an overnight guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moss, Beaver street. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moss, Jr., Mayfair, spent Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Moss, Sr.

William A. Hinkle, New Buckley street, has been ill at his home on New Buckley street.

PFC Rita Duty, Mitchell Field, L. I., spent a few days last week with Mrs. Benjamin Harman.

Spruce street. Staff Sgt. Robert Harman, Mitchell Field, L. I., is spending 15 days furlough at his home. He will go to Robbin Field, Ga., where he will be stationed.

Ensign Thomas Collier, Jr., who has been overseas for the past few months, is now in Norfolk, Va. His wife left for Norfolk, Va., to pay him a visit.

Louis J. Embiscuso, S. 2/c, who was in Camp Peary, Va., has been transferred to Camp Parker, Cal. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Santo Embiscuso, Dorrance street.

HULMEVILLE

William G. Chanter, of Drew Theological Seminary, Madison, N. J., was a guest yesterday of the Rev. and Mrs. Richard R. Gay.

A Wednesday visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Zarr was the former's mother, Mrs. R. R. Zarr, of Bristol Township.

The Christmas entertainment of Neshaminy Methodist Sunday School is scheduled for Monday evening, December 18th, at 7:30 o'clock. A "White Gift" service is planned, with members of the Sunday School and church being invited to take gifts of fresh or canned vegetables and fruits, wrapped in white paper, for donation at the Yuletide to the Methodist Orphanage, Philadelphia.

Dr. and Mrs. William Donohoe and daughter Claire Louise, of Lancaster, were entertained on Sunday at the Hillek residence, here.

The place of residence of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Smith has been

changed from Hulmeville Park to the home of Mr. Smith's father on Trenton avenue.

Mrs. Robert Brien, Jr., visited relatives in Rahway, N. J., last week.

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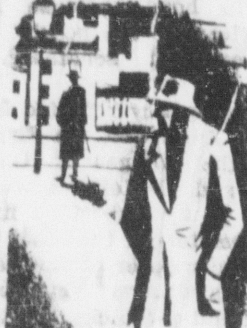
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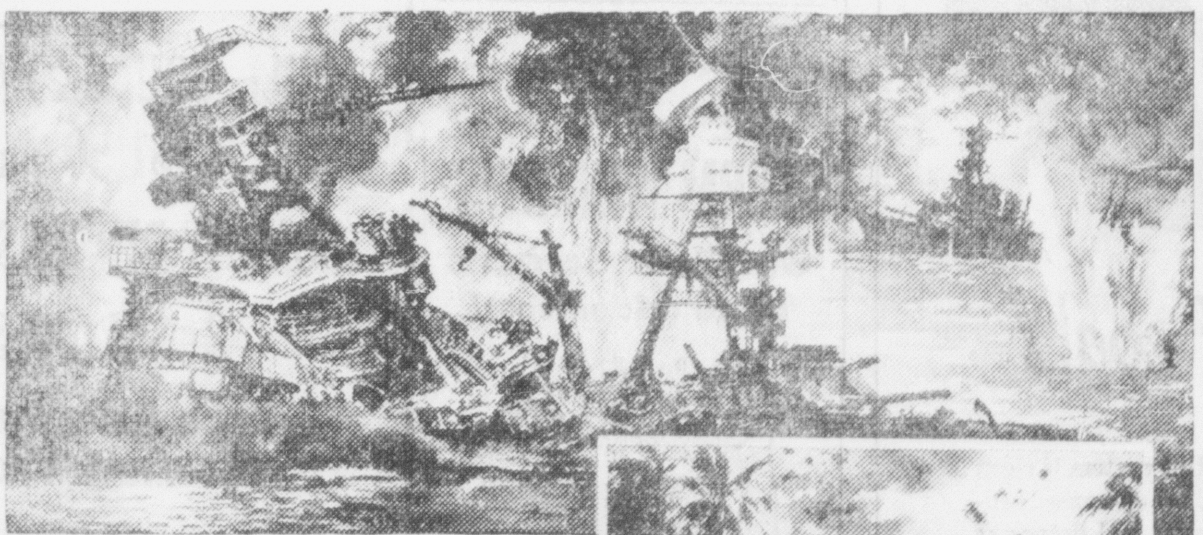
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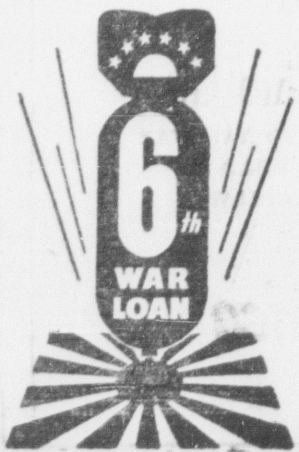
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Local Boys Have Had Poor Season in Trenton League

TRENTON, Dec. 11.—The Fleetwings Engineers basketball team dropped their fifth game of the Trenton Industrial League, losing a low-scoring tilt to the Panelyte five, 19-11. The Engineers have won but one game and are in fifth place in the standing.

Fiero scored 10 points to personally account for the Panelyte victory while Hornung's five points made him high man for the air-planters.

Panelyte	F.G.	P.G.	Tot.
Fiero	4	2	10
Hornung	3	0	6
Wagner	1	0	2
Smith	1	1	3
Valley	1	2	4
Harrell	0	0	0
Walley	0	0	0
W. Oliver	0	0	0
A. Fiero	0	0	0
Total	7	5	19
Fleetwings Engineers	F.G.	P.G.	Tot.
Valley	1	2	4
Wagner	0	0	0
Hornung	1	3	5
Wagner	0	0	0
Smith	1	0	2
Valley	0	0	0
Harrell	0	0	0
Walley	0	0	0
W. Oliver	0	0	0
A. Fiero	0	0	0
Total	3	5	11

Referee: Stevens.

Morrisville Easily Defeats Langhorne

MORRISVILLE, Dec. 11.—Morrisville High basketball team opened its season with a 60-12 victory over Langhorne, Friday night on the former's floor. The inexperienced Langhorne team in no way could cope with the Bulldogs who registered 27 field goals and six fouls.

Poti, Allison and Lebegern, of the winners scored more points than the Langhorne team with Poti leading the bunch with 18 points.

Morrisville High	F.G.	P.G.	Tot.
Poti	9	0	18
Allison	5	3	13
Lebegern	4	1	9
Langhorne	6	2	14
Langhorne	1	0	2
Langhorne	2	0	4
Total	27	6	60

Langhorne	F.G.	P.G.	Tot.
Langhorne	0	1	1
Langhorne	1	0	2
Langhorne	1	1	3
Langhorne	0	0	0
Langhorne	1	0	2
Langhorne	2	0	4
Total	5	2	12

Referee: Walters.

Fire Loss During Last Quarter Listed at \$45,867

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several for field and forest; barns, two; barns struck by lightning, one; houses, 8; out-buildings, 3; greenhouse, 1; cider mill, 1; factory, 1; chimneys, 4; garage, 1; and school house, 1.

Discussion took place relative to some of the conflagrations. Leonard Roberts led the discussion on the green house fire at Trevoise; Mr. Cressman told of the Kaufman house fire at Quakertown in which one woman was burned when a gas explosion occurred; and Chief Lakota of South Langhorne Co. and Chief Frank Paul of Langhorne Co. told details of the fire at the Humph properties at South Langhorne, when eight houses were gutted and eight other damaged.

The men's meeting opened with the singing of "America" with invocation by the Rev. George Mack, pastor of the Chalfont Lutheran Church. Welcomes were extended by Mr. Graham, representing Chalfont borough council; Edward Fly, president, and Chief Raymond Locke of the local fire company. Twenty-six companies responded to roll call.

Two deaths among the membership in the last quarter were reported. James E. Groome and Louis S. Pickle, of Yardley. A resolution of respect for the late Mr. Groome who for 25 years served as president of the county association, was drawn up and a copy will be sent to members of his family. The Hon. Thomas B. Stockham, Morrisville, eulogized Mr. Groome and spoke of his long period of service to the association.

Judge Calvin S. Boyer, Doylestown, spoke to the group on the matter of increased juvenile delinquency.

A retired cartoonist entertained the men, he being J. C. Widney. One of his main pieces for the firemen was the simultaneous drawing, using both hands, of G. I. Jane and G. I. Joe.

The next meeting will be held in March at Tyro Hall Grange hall, Buckingham, with Midway Fire Co., of Lahaska, as host.

Mrs. Samuel Colbert, Trevoise, presided at the meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary. Mrs. Oscar Johnson, Langhorne, treasurer; Mrs. Louis C. Leedom, recording secretary; and Mrs. Raymond Strunk, Quakertown, financial secretary, gave their respective reports.

The Misses Helen Dack and Violet Graham, vocalists; and Miss Mildred Brunner, pianist, of Du-

lin, pleased with selections at both sessions.

The women also enjoyed a Christmas social with exchange of gifts.

Fire Destroys Burlington Theatre

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Consolidated Company, the pumper of Goodwill and the hose and chemical truck of America Hose, Hook & Ladder Co., No. 2, along with the canteen from the same company, responded to the call from Burlington for help. The Bristol firemen remained at the scene until two o'clock this morning.

More than 800 people were in the theatre at the time the flames were first discovered, but all left in an orderly manner and no one was hurt, according to report.

It was shortly after seven o'clock and during the first show that the blaze started. The theatre was about two-thirds full when smoke was noticed in the main auditorium. People at once began to leave and did so in an orderly manner. Some who were just entering the theatre returned to the street. Manager Milton Marion in the meantime was investigating the source of the blaze and as he entered the men's room in the basement he was confronted with dense smoke, but it is believed that the fire originated elsewhere in the building.

On either side of the theatre entrance are located stores, one occupied by the Capitol Furniture Company and one by the Ace Cleaners.

Rapidly eating its way into the huge auditorium from the basement, the fire raged unchecked for nearly four hours before tons of water poured into the structure by firemen responding to a general alarm brought the blaze under control.

Flames leaped from the building on the heels of the fleeing crowds, and within a short time billowing clouds of smoke had blanketed the entire central section of Burlington city.

The fire spread rapidly from the center of the auditorium and soon engulfed two stores flanking the theatre.

The general alarm was sounded in Burlington, and aid was summoned from Burlington township and Bristol. Additional help was called later from Mt. Holly and other surrounding communities.

Albert Lanciere, of Burlington, one of the patrons, realized a fire had started and turned in the alarm after leaving the theatre.

Just before the roof collapsed, the balcony gave way, sending tongues of flames shooting through the lower windows and doors.

Firemen mounted to the roofs of all nearby buildings to pour water into the blazing structure. For a time it was feared the heat of the fire, together with the excessive amount of water, might cause the walls to collapse, but when the blaze was brought under control, the danger appeared to have passed.

Lights in the block across the street from the theatre were cut off for a half hour when water flooded the subterranean conduits and caused a short circuit.

A number of volunteer firemen suffered minor effects of the smoke, but only two required first aid treatment. They were Alan Jones, of Burlington, and Thomas Gillice, of the Hope Fire Co., Burlington. Mr. Jones suffered chills and Mr. Gillice sustained severe lacerations of the right hand. The Red Cross and the Salvation Army set up emergency canteens at the scene.

Returns To Duties Following Wounding

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by V-mail to his parents. Recent ones recalled hunting days in the United States, and another in humorous vein referred to a "kicking" gun which caused his father to fall out of a small boat while hunting.

Postal Notes Will Be Sold Here Soon

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This new type of money order is to be available to post offices other than first class as rapidly as adequate stocks of postal notes come from the presses. However, from the beginning they can be cashed at any postoffice in the United States.

Eighteen denominations of stamps will be issued in connection with the postal notes to make up odd amounts. They will range in price from one to 90 cents, and there will be ten denominations of stamps ranging in value from \$1 to \$10.

The new postal note is designed as a safe, convenient and economical way of sending through the mails amounts of money not exceeding \$10. The simplified methods of sale and accounting make it possible to handle the notes at a uniform fee of 5 cents. The conventional money order, however, is not being displaced by the new note.

A person desiring to send a postal note of \$2.93 will go to the money order window, where the clerk will affix a 90 cent stamp and a three cent stamp to a \$2 postal note, and exchange the note for

\$2.98. No application will have to be filled, and no writing will have to be done by the clerk. After being given the note the purchaser will write the name of the payee on the note, detach the record stub, on which the payee's name is recorded, and then mail the postal note.

Germans Girling For Anticipated Allied Blows

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The Ninth Army sector with the Yanks clearing the west banks of the Roer and mopping up the Germans from the bitterly contested area of the Sportplatz west of Juelich.

First Army troops, on the Ninth's right flank, hammered new Lightning fast thrusts toward the Roer, bastion of Duren, marching more than a mile east of Lachen, almost directly east of the city. The Yanks rolled toward Schopfloren, northward of Duren, and fought into the town of Pier.

South of the town, Lieut. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges, men slashed into the town of Gey, routing the Nazis in house-to-house fighting, after clearing the nearby villages of Stross and Schafberg, below Gey.

Reuter agency reported from the western front that the First Army seized the villages of Obergeich, Eicht and D'Horn eastward to Duren, in an intensified night assault that forced the Nazis to withdraw under cover of darkness.

The Third Army repulsed three Nazi counter-attacks in as many hours against the Dillingen bridgehead, according to a front line dispatch from the Reuters Agency, which reported that all the Yanks' positions were restored by 5.39 a. m. today.

Residents of Upper End Aid The Boy Scouts

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There are 382 Scouts and cubs in the North Penn district, the largest council in Bucks county. Plans are under way now for the organiza-

tion of new troops and packs in the district. Reports submitted showed that 20 boys have been advanced to second class rank, 30 to first class; 19 to star and 2 to life rank.

Abram Mitman, of Sellersville, was elected chairman last week; Lloyd Weisel, Perkaskie, vice-chairman, and Ray Musselman, Quakertown, was reappointed as district commissioner.

Henry Hoffman and Ray Hartman, of Quakertown, were nominated for membership on the executive board of the council. Paul R. Sine, Perkaskie; William M. Neamand, Richlandtown; C. R. Witmer, Sellersville; Frank O'Rourke, Perkaskie; Nicholas Binsberger, Dublin; Henry Hoffman, Quakertown, and Ray Hartman, Quakertown, were elected as members-at-large in the district. Lloyd Weisel, district chairman, presided.

The camping and activities report showed participation in the Summer camp as well as the Chesapeake cruise for seascouts and air scouts with 7 troops and 128 scouts taking part. The report of District Commissioner Ray Musselman showed need of a better organized neighborhood commissioner staff in order to accomplish objectives of complete service to each unit.

Here and There In Bucks County Towns

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er, Sylvester Sheetz, Frenchtown, Pvt. Sheetz said he was in a hospital in France recovering from injuries received in action against the enemy.

Members of the Southampton Women's Club, in session at the home of the president, Mrs. Paul DeGendesch, Southampton, on Thursday, were given tips on farming by County Agent William F. Greenawald, Doylestown, who commented upon methods of neutralizing the soil by proper fertilization, the conservation of soil by contour or strip farming and the rotation of crops.

Following the talk, the members took part in a discussion relative NOW, THEN, this makes it clear

to the eradication of obnoxious weeds, including ivy poison. They also discussed methods of getting rid of moles.

The program was in charge of the gardens and conservation committee, of which Mrs. Thomas J. Clemens is the chairman.

All officers were re-elected at the annual meeting of the Newtown Welfare Association at the home of Mrs. Horace A. Effrig, Newtown, last week.

The following were named to serve another year: President, J. Wilmer Landy; vice-president, Eugene Watson; secretary, Miss Laura Riddle, and treasurer, Mrs. Horace A. Effrig.

Mrs. Reuben Kester, Mrs. William W. Fabian and Mrs. Horace A. Effrig were named to serve on the working committee. The meeting was featured also by the annual reports of the secretary and treasurer.

Choral Club To Be At "B" Shift Rally

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The same program will be repeated for the "B" shift workers at their 8.30 p. m. lunch period at plants 1 and 2. At plant 3 the singing will take place at the noon lunch period in the area where the "movies" are usually shown.

THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

By FRANK R. KENT

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radical support he would have lost the State by more than 550,000 majority. Thus, these new parties have gotten themselves into position where they can exercise a degree of influence upon our presidential elections and our national parties altogether out of proportion to their size.

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that the Democratic party is wholly dependent for its success in the greatest State of the Union upon these two independent parties in which are grouped all the real radicals, and in which the Communist influence, so far as the stronger one is concerned, is controlling. The inevitable effect of this dependence forces the Democratic party to the left. To keep this indispensable support in what usually is the indispensable state, it is compelled to take the radical road. From the practical political view there is no alternative. And once on the radical road there is no turning. Mr. Roosevelt found that out in previous administrations when once or twice he tried veering to the right only to be forced back by the Left Wingers. No one thinks he will so much as make an attempt in his next term.

THOUGHTFUL Democrats—particularly in the South—are rather appalled by this situation. They think the Democratic party has been sold out to the radicals for votes in the big states of the North. So far as New York is concerned, that idea is certainly justified. This so-called Democratic Administration makes occasional gestures in the conservative direction, as in some of

its recent State Department appointments; but, in the main, its acts conform to the wishes of the leaders of these two radical parties and its direction is much the same. There is in these parties no trace of Democratic principles and no place for Democratic leaders of the conservative type.

IN THESE parties there is no concern about such things as the public debt, only a superficial and insincere regard for private enterprise plus a hearty contempt for those old fashioned enough to urge the value of economy and efficiency in government. Their main ideas are to make the rich pay all the taxes, put labor unions into the management of business, and have the Government guarantee good jobs, high wages, ample vacations, full security from the "cradle to grave." These, of course, are popular, though impractical, ideas and

are ardently advocated by the radical press. And Mr. Wallace is their hero.

THEY ARE, it has been declared, "grooming him for 1948," and the President repeatedly has said that he contemplates a highly important place for Mr. Wallace in his new Administration. In the main, he likes Mr. Wallace's ideas, though he never publicly goes as far with them as Mr. Wallace goes. In the main, they were his ideas before they were Mr. Wallace's. So does the CIO, with which he is politically linked, like them. Between them they are in position to make progress along those lines in the next four years, despite the fact that, with the war over and freed from party label restrictions, the bulk of the Democrats of the country—and, in fact, the country—would not want to go in that direction.

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